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# Township Register

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WARM SPRINGS

FORTY-ONE YEARS OLD

NILES, ALAMEDA COUNTY, CALIFORNIA, THURSDAY, May 16, 1929

NO. 7

## CHAMBER QUILTS POLICE DISTRICT PLAN

### RAISE IN TAXES FRIGHTENS PROPERTY HOLDERS

#### LEGION NEEDS NINE TO FINISH QUOTA

#### Building Construction Is Expected to Begin In June

Nine members are needed to carry the Washington Post of the American Legion over the top for the third consecutive year. The quota has been raised to seventy-five members and there are nine to be secured yet. All ex-service men who have not yet joined are urged to do so and help their buddies go over the top just as they did in France a few years ago.

A banquet will be given on May 28, at which time the Oakland "Boiture" will send fifteen men to conduct an initiation and from all expectations expressed there will be a hot time in the old town that night.

Reports for the legion building indicated actual construction will begin in June. Plans are expected to be approved by the board of supervisors at their next meeting.

A letter from Toyon Branch of the Baby Hospital Association was read asking the legion to attend the dinner to be given at the garden party on June 1 in the Shinn gardens, at noon. This matter was approved and a large delegation is expected from this group.

On motion of Dr. Chas. Law, chairman of the committee on investigation, to proceed with the formation of a police district, the Niles Chamber of Commerce voted at the luncheon meeting Tuesday to abandon the effort on the grounds that it would raise taxes too much.

It was reported that Niles' tax rate was higher than any town in the township and that all efforts should be toward reducing them instead of doing anything to increase them.

Several business men about town have employed a private night-watchman, but Niles as a whole has no official police protection, further than that of constables who live in Centerville. Dr. Law states that inasmuch as the fire district has reduced its rate about 35 cents this year, the additional tax of 32 cents, necessary to employ one Niles night-watchman would hold the tax approximately where it has been for several years.

There were only fourteen present, Dr. Law and F. V. Jones voting for the police district, and only four voting against it. And four men decide the fate of Niles!

## MEN OF TOWNSHIP AT GOOD FELLOWSHIP MEETING THIS EVENING

#### SCHUCKL FORCE HAS WEEKEND AT PARADISE PARK

Thirty employees of the Schuckl Cannery spent the weekend at Paradise Park in the Santa Cruz mountains as guests of the company.

The entire force from San Francisco, Sunnyvale and Niles were included.

The Register for better printing.

#### Scores of Leading Men of Communities to Talk Cooperation

Several scores of business men from all parts of Washington Township are gathering at the Gregory Hotel in Centerville this evening at 7 o'clock for the first get-together dinner of all township Chambers of Commerce. C. H. Waterbury, of the Dohner-Galbraith Ford Agency, whose idea it is, is general chairman of arrangements.

A speaker, music and a number of other features will make up the program following a full course dinner of American food served under the excellent new management of the Gregory.

The purpose of this meeting is to engender and encourage a feeling of cooperation among the various communities. That in unity lies strength is the motivating thought behind the movement and much good is expected to result from this meeting this evening, it even having been suggested that a township Chamber of Commerce be formed.

The world is moving this way. Only in the last few months a number of people from the bay cities, and nearer home, from Hayward, have moved into the township. Among them, Mr. Waterbury distinguishes himself by plunging into the civic life of the communities and taking an active part in the Centerville Chamber of Commerce and the Niles Ad Club as well as the Niles Chamber of Commerce. The township is to be congratulated upon having another such live wire in its midst.

The dinner tonight is a stag affair and a "dutch treat" but is arranged under the auspices of the Centerville service Club which will act as host.

#### Visiting Students Are Entertained Here

Thirty-four representatives of the Mission High School at San Francisco and Hayward Union High School scholarship societies were present at the local high school's party on May 3. After games and program, refreshments were served.

The following had charge: Mary Beveridge and Genevieve Davilla, decorations.

Jim Bunker, Marjorie Martin and Bill Wyatt, music.

Prizes were won by Lola Luna, Joseph Couley, Miss Vito Kesti and Leslie Knox.

The many friends of Mrs. R. Bendel are glad to know that she has returned home from the Merritt Hospital, and is slowly but surely regaining her health.

## MRS. BRAUN IS RE-ELECTED PRESIDENT

#### Last Meeting of P. T. A. On June 10; Special Installation

Mrs. Harvey Braun was re-elected president of the Niles Parent-Teachers' Association at the annual meeting held Tuesday afternoon. Although presidents are always elected with the understanding that they are to serve two years, Mrs. Braun is the first official in this capacity who has been willing to carry on for the second term. Assisting her in next year's work will be the following officers:

Vice-president, Mrs. E. A. Ellsworth.  
Secretary, Mrs. Ellen Habenicht.  
Treasurer, Mrs. Leon Solon.  
Corresponding secretary, Mrs. J. E. Townsend.  
Historian, Mrs. Lester Duffey.  
Auditor, Miss Enos.  
Parliamentarian, Mrs. Plum.  
Delegates, Mrs. Plum and Mrs. Townsend.

It was voted to send \$10 to the local Health Center to assist in paying for the pre-school examination given this week.

It was also decided to plan for the usual party for the graduating class, date to be announced later.

It was decided to give a card party on the 28th for the benefit of the Boy Scouts and the Campfire Girls.

Due to the fact that the Sixth grade has had the best attendance of mothers at the P. T. A. this year, it was decided to supplement their picture fund to the extent that one of the pictures exhibited recently could be secured for this room.

Reports from the cooking class inaugurated by Mrs. C. E. Martenstein indicate that this is a popular and successful phase of P. T. A. work. Mrs. Habenicht and Mrs. Solon have also assisted with this work.

The next board meeting will be held June 9, and the last meeting of the year, at which time the new officers will be installed, will be held on June 10. Mrs. R. B. Bulger will be the installing official.

The cafeteria will be closed June 7, and commencement exercises will be held June 14.

Mr. and Mrs. Gygax spent Sunday with friends in Alameda.

## Editorial Comment

By NORMAN H. PARKS, Publisher Register

### MR. LITTLE AND MR. "CHRISTIAN"

THE IMPEACHMENT TRIAL of Judge Hardy is a closed incident with the California senate but not a closed incident with the state treasury of this commonwealth. This little fiasco has cost the taxpayers twenty-five thousand dollars. A mere trifle—a bagatelle as it were—when millions are spent annually in maintaining an orderly condition in this enlightened age of parental government activities. But twenty-five thousand dollars to the average man is quite a sum to be spent in another attempt to reach Aimee Semple McPherson, and brand her with immorality and perjury. Most of us think it is none of the state's business whether the evangelist was at Carmel with a lover or in the wilds of southern Arizona held prisoner in a shack among the cacti and rattlesnakes.

The attempt to impeach Hardy was but an effort—an abortive attempt—to re-open the McPherson kidnapping case. Had the titian-haired head of Angelus Temple not been involved in the gift to Hardy, there would have been no investigation of the jurist.

The ring-leaders of the impeachment circus fooled only the most unsophisticated in politics. A man with but a mite of sense could understand from the start that the whole racket was an endeavor to impeach, not Hardy, but the testimony of McPherson before the grand jury and at her trial in Los Angeles. And in this they failed, partly because the judge was a likable man and popular, and the average legislator did not care to crucify him to vent a spleen of a few of their colleagues upon a woman, whatever her moral laxity may have been. Evangelist McPherson has risen sublimely above the innuendo and the jealousies of her less capable and adroit religious leaders, who, failing to meet her growing popularity in the south, would have placed upon her bosom the scarlet letter that a rival might be removed from the spotlight of fame.

And naturally who should be first lieutenant to Senator Little, but our own state senator, whom we have learned to call in recent years by that good old Swedish name, Christian. Yes, it was this modernized Christian who voted "Yes" on every ballot to convict Hardy. And like his vote almost alone. But one other went with him all the way down the line of vindictiveness.

Perhaps Messrs. Little and Christian have never read in the good old Book the incident of Christ and Mary Magdalene. The Pharisees had brought before Christ this woman who had sinned, and delivered her with these words: "Now Moses in the law commands us that such should be stoned; but what sayest Thou?" and Christ returned, "Let him that is without sin among you, cast the first stone at her." And when He delivered Himself thus began writing in the sand. Later looking up, He found none of her accusers could be seen. Perhaps if Christ could have lived in this day, He would have found two men, at least, more brazenly hypocritical than in Biblical times and His words would have met with stones.

### AN EPICUREAN PRAISES IT

THE TOWNSHIP REGISTER is always glad to write of men and women who excel in their particular work in Niles—men and women who put this town on the map and by their superior talents in business or professions, add luster to the name of Niles and bring to its doors increased commercial activity.

Recently we were a dinner guest of ex-Governor Richardson at the Florence restaurant, the Niles caterers of Italian food. Richardson has traveled all over the world and dined in many of the noted hotels and restaurants of this and foreign lands. Naturally, then, the Florence restaurant managers will be pleased—and Niles proud—that the ex-governor particularly mentioned the splendid meal that was served him here, and expressed a desire to enjoy again its Italian cuisine.

We mention this because it should be mentioned. Our people should know and appreciate

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## Register Staff to Have Annual Dinner-Theater Party, On 27th

#### Performance at Pantages To Be Followed With Chinatown Dinner

Everything is all set for the Township Register staff's second big jamboree, Norman Parks, publisher, having made arrangements for a theater party at the Pantages in San Francisco and an after-show dinner at the New Shanghai Cafe, in Chinatown. Invitations are being issued to members of

the staff for Monday, May 27.

The party will leave The Register office at 5 o'clock in the afternoon and will motor via the new bay bridge, planning to arrive in Niles on the return trip about midnight.

This annual theater and dinner party is a means Mr. Parks has of showing his appreciation for the faithful cooperation and loyalty of the staff.

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## Chambers of Commerce Asked To Baby Hospital Garden Party

#### MRS. J. ZWISSIG ENTERTAINS AT DINNER PARTY

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Zwissig entertained with a dinner party Saturday evening, including Mr. and Mrs. Henry May, Jr., of Oakland; Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Wright, of San Jose; Carl Christensen, of Irvington and Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Dias, of Niles.

We print your job on time.

#### Mary Dowd Reardon Will Serve Ham Dinner At Noon, June 1

Announcement that another of those famous Mary Dowd Reardon dinners is to be served at the garden party given by Toyon Branch of the Baby Hospital Association in the J. C. Shinn gardens, Saturday, June 1, at noon, will be read with enthusiasm, her

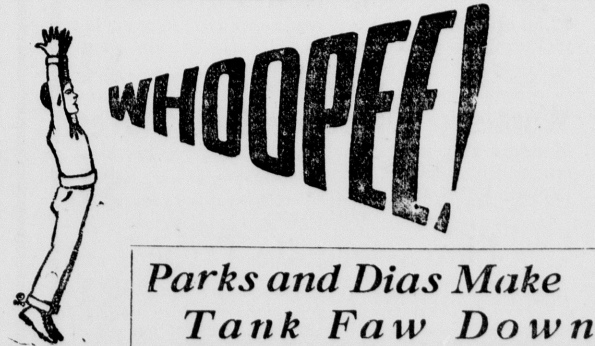
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## COMING EVENTS

CAST THEIR  
SHADOWS BEFORE

REGISTER'S FRATERNAL, SOCIAL  
AND AMUSEMENT CALENDAR

May 16—Joint Dinner Township Service Clubs, Centerville.  
May 17—"New Brooms," High School Auditorium.  
May 20—Welfare Club, Mrs. Roger Hatch.  
May 23—Friendly Club Mrs. Harvey Braun.  
May 24—Scout and Campfire picnic, Rose's canyon, 6:30 p. m.  
May 24—Fashion Show, high school; free.  
May 27—Register's theater party, San Francisco.  
June 1—Garden Party for Toyon Branch.  
June 7—Niles school cafeteria closes.  
June 9—Parent-Teachers' Association meeting, 2 p. m.  
June 11—Grammar School Operetta and Graduation.  
June 13—High School Commencement.  
June 14—Niles School Commencement.



## Parks and Dias Make Tank Faw Down

And the tank gonna faw down and go boom! So do Publisher Parks' heep big bluff!

Of course Contractor E. E. Dias wasn't so slow as to let anyone get away with a threat like that. Having offered in such an august position as the editorial columns of The Register to help pull down the tank building, Editor Parks is going to have to live up to his offer.

Friday morning, he'll throw aside the ink pots and seize his much-boasted hammer and try a little knocking himself—not at the town but at the water tank which has stood for so many years in all its unsightliness—(like Pat's blind cow—a good cow but not look so good)—and surely with the mighty blows of Parks and Dias, there won't be much left to remind old-timers or the passerby of the good old days—that is, so far as the tank is concerned.

We know the power of the press is unquestioned, that the pen is mightier than the sword, etc., etc., but what we are waiting to see is whether the pen is mightier than the hammer and the saw.

Come rally around the flag, boys. There's going to be a hot race. Bet on Parks or Dias, who'll pull down the most of the tank most quickly. Somebody ought to get the band and cheer them on with the national asthma or something of the sort.

(Of course this may never get into print and if not, you won't know anything about it. Here's a chance to find out how much real influence the office boy has around this dump!)

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## DON'T FAIL TO HAVE CHILDREN EXAMINED NOW

**Only a Physician Is Able  
To Detect Wrong  
Symptoms**

Scores of children who are to enter school for the first time next fall have been examined at the Washington Township health center this week. This program is put on under the joint auspices of the Health Department and the Parent-Teachers' Association.

This is the proper time to have the children examined, Miss Lena Shinnick, health nurse, urges. Any adjustments that have to be made can be made now and leave time for recovery to normal conditions before undergoing the strain of school routine.

There are doubtless many mothers who found it impossible to go to the health center this week and they are urged to have a thorough examination of the child made by some physician.

The average parent does not see in his own child those physical defects which are quickly discovered by an expert, states Miss Shinnick. It is surprising how blind parents may be in observing incorrect methods of sitting or standing, the tendency to breathe through the mouth, poor nutrition, impaired hearing, faulty eyesight, etc.

Some of the questions that should be asked in this connection are: Is my child physically fit to enter school? Has he any defects, and if so, how serious are they? Is he growing? Are his height and weight proper or does he limp? Are his eyes all right and can he hear well? Is his skin clear? Does he breathe through his nose? Has he good, sound teeth? Is his throat in good condition? Are his tonsils swollen or diseased? Is his back strong? Has he flat feet? Does he eat the foods that will make him grow?

Only a competent examiner can answer these questions. Mothers who missed the Health Center examination should see the family doctor at once if the child is to enter school for the first time next fall.

### PERSONAL NEWS

LaVon Molter was chairman for ordering the class rings for the high school Juniors.

Over 200 Hatchets were distributed to the public by the Washington HI students during Educational week.

Ellen Dusterberry is attending Heald's business colleges at San Jose.

Addison Richmond has entered San Jose State College.

Gertrude Ellsworth entertained her cousin from Ripon this past week-end.

BE A NILES BOOSTER—BUY AT HOME—BUT—when in Hayward don't be a Camel. Have a refreshing drink at Our Place Sweet Shop, 928 B Street. m9tfc.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Boyer, of Sunnyvale, were in Niles this week-end.

### EDDIE, THE AD MAN

YOU DON'T WANT TO MISS THE LIL' WANT ADS, FOLKS! HARKEN TO THIS HERE— "WANTED: MAN WITH CAR TO GATHER EGGS ABOUT FORTY YEARS OLD—ED GOOKIS PRODUCE CO." AH, THERE, ED! HA! HA! I'VE ATE SOME OF THEM EGGS!



### CHILDREN'S DEPARTMENT BOARD MEETS IN NILES

A full meeting of the Children's Department of the Welfare Board was held at the Niles Library last Thursday with all but three

members present. Reports of the ways and means committee from Mrs. Walter Flierl, chairman, indicated that Eden and Washington still lacked a small amount in reaching their quota. It is hoped that pledges will be made this

week or next, in order that the campaign may be closed.

Orosive—Contract will be awarded May 15 for building four miles state highway from here to Feather River Canyon road.

Wilmington—Two buildings will be erected here at cost of \$42,000 for occupancy by J. C. Penny Company and F. W. Woolworth Company.

The Register for job printing.

Pacific Telephone and Telegraph company improving service in Washington at cost of \$44,000.

Extensive street and sewer improvements will soon be underway in Antioch.

Plans announced for erection of \$500,000 hotel at Redway, 75 miles south of Eureka.

Gridley—New water mains installed in northwest part of this city.

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Here at last—Oakland's Great Spring Dollar Day—the greatest money-saving event of the whole season. There are bargains by the thousands. These are but a few of the many. Mark the date. Look for the big 5-page advertisement in Tuesday's afternoon papers.

No Phone or Mail Orders.

### 2000 Yards Silk Flat Crepe

Reg. \$1.75 value. Extra heavy closely woven, washable silk in all the beautiful new summer colors. **\$1**  
(MAIN FLOOR)

### 1000 Yards 54-Inch Woolens

Flannel, Novelty Tweed, Wool crepe and Kashona in mill ends of 2½ to 5 yd. lengths. Off the bolt \$1.95 to \$2.95 values. **\$1**  
(MAIN FLOOR)

### 1000 Yards 36-Inch Indian Head

Mill ends of 1 to 10 yard lengths. **5 YDS. \$1**  
(MAIN FLOOR)

### 1200 Yards Silk and Rayon Satin

38-inch. A beautiful, gleamingly rich fabric in twenty exquisite colors. For costume slips, bed spreads, etc. Usually **2 YDS. \$1**  
(MAIN FLOOR)

### Babies' Fleece 27x27 Diapers

Fleece on both sides. Neatly hemmed. Soft and absorbent. Our regular \$1.75 value. **\$1**  
Limit 1 doz. Dozen **\$1**  
(SECOND FLOOR)

### 1000 Yards 50-Inch Monk's Cloth

natural shade. **3 YDS. \$1**  
(THIRD FLOOR)

### 1900 Yards Imported "Fuji" Silk

An imported, washable, all-silk pongee in gorgeous colors for sport and afternoon. Reg. **2 YDS. \$1**  
85c value. Limit 10. **\$1**  
(MAIN FLOOR)

### 2500 Smart Printed Wash Frocks

Voiles, broadcloths and dimities made in straight lines, with kick pleats, circular skirts, flares, sleeveless or short sleeves. **\$1**  
Sizes 16 to 50. **\$1**  
(SECOND FLOOR)

### Sale of Factory Rebuilt "Hoover" Cleaners

It is practically new and will do the work of a new machine. Double guarantee. Many new parts. New Bag, New Cord and Attachment Plug, New Beating-Sweeping, Ball-bearing. **\$21.95**  
ing Brush. \$1 down.  
(MAIN FLOOR)

## 500 New Dresses

Lovely soft georgettes and rich flat crepe frocks beautifully fashioned in the latest modes and colors. Adapt the latest modes and colors. Sizes **2 for \$14**  
14 to 48.

## Smart Coats

Fashioned of novelty coatings with border trim, modish tweeds and plain fabrics. Rayon or silk lined. Pretty throws, drapes, fancy pockets and belts add real smartness. **\$12**  
(SECOND FLOOR)

### 2000 Women's Sweaters

Special purchase of coats, slips or sleeveless models. Knit of wool or wool and rayon in solid colors, checks, or stripes. **\$2**  
(SECOND FLOOR)

### Babies' 36 x 50 Blankets

Convenient size for crib. Bound edges. Several lovely patterns... Block, wreath or baby designs. **\$1**  
(SECOND FLOOR)

### Rayon Vests and Stepins

Regular 79c and \$1 values. Pretty pastel shades. 1500 women's fine texture garments. Firmly knit. **2 FOR \$1**  
(SECOND FLOOR)

### 2000 Corsets and Corsettes

\$2.50 and \$3.50 values. Twenty wanted new styles including back-lace corsets with elastic side section; stepin girdles of all elastic. **\$1**  
(SECOND FLOOR)

### Women's Suede or Kid Gloves

Menders of a well known make. Suede or kid slips and one-clasp fancy cuff styles. If perfect \$2.95 and \$3.95 values. **\$1**  
(MAIN FLOOR)

### Fine Georgette Crepe

Figured or solid colors. **\$1**  
(MAIN FLOOR)

### 1200 Yds. "Punjab" Percale

Sixty patterns from which to choose. Guaranteed not to fade. Usually sells from 29c to 35c yard. 36-inch. **4 YDS. \$1**  
(MAIN FLOOR)

### 1000 Yds. Theatrical Gauze

A very popular drapery fabric in natural, green, rust, blue, gold and other new shades. **4 YDS. \$1**  
(THIRD FLOOR)

### Sanitary Napkins

Regular hospital size. Highly absorbent, soft cotton filling. **6 DOZ. \$1**  
(MAIN FLOOR)

### Junior Silk Dresses

Sizes 13 to 19. **2 FOR \$14**  
(SECOND FLOOR)

### Children's ¾ Hose

Plain colored boot with fancy tops. All perfect. Mostly dark shades. **12 PAIRS \$1**  
25c quality. **\$1**  
(MAIN FLOOR)

### 2000 Summer Hats

Women's. Summer's newest straws, hairs and crepes in the latest styles. Every conceivable color including white, navy and black. **\$1**  
(SECOND FLOOR)

### 9 x 12 Axminster Rugs

Strong, durable rugs that will give years of service. Patterns for bedroom and living room. \$1 down. **\$17.50**  
(THIRD FLOOR)

### 400 Girls' Sweaters

All wool or wool and rayon sweaters in slip-on and coat styles. Novelty weaves in plain or striped designs... The summer's most favored shades. Sizes 7 to 14 years. **\$1**  
(SECOND FLOOR)

### White House Paint

Good grade outside paint that covers well. 500 gallons. Regular \$1.93 value. Gal. **\$1**  
(DOWNSTAIRS)

### 150 Rayon Spreads

80x105. In beautiful bedroom colors to harmonize with your color scheme. **\$2.50**  
(MAIN FLOOR)

### Men's Athletic Union Suits

Madras, broadcloth, fancy fabrics and nainsook. Slight imperfections. \$1 value. Sizes 34 to 48. 1000 only. **2 FOR \$1**  
(MAIN FLOOR)

### Turkish Bath Towels

22x43 colored border towels, double thread weave. Soft and very absorbent. Colors blue, gold, rose, green, lavender. **4 FOR \$1**  
(MAIN FLOOR)

### 10,000 Pairs "Ruby Ring" Silk Hose

Formerly \$1.95. Full fashioned silk-to-top, medium service. Reinforced hile foot. Ten shades in this number. All perfect. **\$1**  
(MAIN FLOOR)

### \$-Day Special On Hand Bags

Some of real leather. Pouch and flat styles with back or top straps. Black, brown **2 FOR \$1**  
tan **\$1**  
(MAIN FLOOR)

### 1700 Pairs Women's and Girls' Shoes

Step-in Pumps, Strap Pumps, Cut-out Ties and Sports Oxfords, Spike, Spanish, Cuban and Low heels. Sizes 2½ to 8. Not all sizes in. **\$1 AND \$2**  
all styles. **\$1 AND \$2**  
(MAIN FLOOR)

### \$-Day Sale of 6000 Men's Shirts

Of smart broadcloth novelty Dobie and rayon striped broadcloth, woven striped and Blackstone madras. Guaranteed colors, fit and workmanship. Sizes 14 to 17. **\$1**  
Collar attached and neckband. **\$1**  
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### 1000 Yards Fine Hope Muslin

A snowy white, wonderful quality, nationally known. **8 YDS. \$1**  
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### Sale of 1200 Boys' Blouses

"Model" make. Neatly tailored with sports or high collar. Durable materials in pleasing patterns. Sizes 6 to 15 inclusive. **2 FOR \$1**  
Tubfast. **\$1**  
(MAIN FLOOR)

### Cretonne

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(THIRD FLOOR)

### Very Special! Chesterfield Set

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moquette. Terms... **\$85.00**  
(THIRD FLOOR)

### A \$-Day Bargain! Bridge Lamps

Handsome twisted standard with assorted bases and attractive parchment type shade. Usually priced \$5. **\$3**  
(THIRD FLOOR)

See Oakland P.M. Papers Tuesday

Washington Street, 10th and 11th, Oakland



Healdsburg—Extensive improvements made on J. F. Miller & Son's local packing plant.

San Pablo—Rural mail route in this place will be extended.

Addition costing \$91,000 to be built to high school in Torrance.

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## Community Chest Considered For Hayward Organizations

### Similar Plan Suggested For Washington Township

Formation of a community chest for Hayward is being considered by a committee appointed at a meeting held last week with E. W. Burr as temporary chairman and who with W. S. Freeman and Hans Henningsen will choose a group of ten to investigate the matter.

Among the organizations represented were the Federated Improvement clubs, the Camp Fire girls, the Welfare Board, the Veterans' Club and the Boy Scouts, the Tuberculosis Society, American Legion, Travelers' Aid, Parent-Teachers' Association, Red Cross, Salvation Army and some of the lodges.

The formation of a community chest in Washington Township has been suggested many times by various persons who agree that it would be the easiest method of disposing of solicitation for various philanthropic and civic needs. Some of the various "collections" made in the township during the year are for the Welfare Work, Baby Hospital, the Legion projects, the Red Cross, the Anti-Tuberculosis Work, Salvation Army, Boy Scouts, Campfire Girls, the community church, and others. These all call for various committees, organization meetings, hours of solicitation that

overlap and duplicate effort in many ways.

It probably will not be long before this question is brought before the people of the township.

## PLANNING FOR BIGGER FAIR EXHIBIT FOR ALAMEDA COUNTY

Plans for a bigger and better exhibit of Alameda County at the fifth annual state fair at Sacramento are under way by the Development Commission, even though last year's exhibit brought first grand prize.

A joint meeting of the County Supervisors was held at the Hotel Oakland recently, this being the first joint session of the two groups. Harvey Braun, president of the Niles Chamber of Commerce and member of the Development Commission was present.

Trophies won by the exhibit of last year were shown and plans discussed for further representation. Detailed plans of the commission are to be presented to the supervisors in time for the making of the annual budget in July.

The fair this year will be an unusual occurrence, for the first time in history, eleven western states joining in to make the celebration a success.

Exhibits from Washington, Oregon, Idaho, Montana, Wyoming, Utah, Colorado, Arizona, New Mexico and Nevada as well as California will be shown at the state fair in Sacramento in September.

### PERSONAL NEWS

Mrs. C. E. Martenstein, Mrs. Robert Fisher, Miss Estelle Martenstein and Miss Ruth Fisher were present at the Mother's Day tea given at the Western Woman's Club in the city Saturday afternoon, as the guest of Miss Fisher who is a member of the "Twenty-Three Club."

Harry Green was home from Galt for the week-end.

Mr. Johnson, of Berkeley, has been visiting his son, A. F. Johnson at the Belvoir Hotel.

George Duffy has been quite ill at his home on Third street.

A. F. Johnson who was injured when lifting a too-heavy packing case at the Schuckl Cannery last week is improving but has been confined to his home a part of the time.

An eight and a half-pound son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Benbow, of Irvington, at the Silva Maternity Home, Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Walker, of San Francisco, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Owen Swainson.

Judge and Mrs. J. A. Silva have been in Yosemite this week.

Judge Allen G. Norris, of Centerville, sat for Judge J. A. Silva at the justice court Tuesday.

Miss Daisy Mendenhall was in Sacramento last week for the typist contest.

### THE PASSION PLAY

A five-reel motion picture will be shown at the Niles Congregational church, Wednesday, May 22, at 7:30 p. m. No admission charged. Free will offering.—M16-23c.

### SAN FRANCISCO

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## MRS. FISHER AGAIN IS HONORED GUEST

### Colorful Luncheon Given By Mrs. Martenstein and Mrs. Bonde

One of the most colorful and artistic parties given in Niles for many months was the bridge luncheon given last Thursday by Mrs. Clarence E. Martenstein and Mrs. George Bonde in honor of Mrs. Martenstein's mother, Mrs. Robert Fisher, who is leaving May 22, for an extensive visit East and to England. Twenty-four guests were present.

Decorations for the table carried out the idea of the Bon Voyage celebration, a lovely center piece including a small boat floating upon a real lake imbedded in maiden-hair and flying the British flag and the stars and stripes, lavender and green candles indicating the color motif. Individual place cards were also tiny boats bearing a different inscription on each regarding some phase of ocean travel. The honoree's chair was marked with a huge bow of lavender tulle and details of the menu also carried out the color scheme. A large picture cake and ice cream served in individual molds—ships bearing the name "Laconia," the vessel upon which the Fishers will sail comprised the last course of the luncheon.

A string of crystals was presented to the honor guest as a going-away gift from the two hostesses.

After the card game, prizes were presented to Mrs. H. R. Hunt, Mrs. Ralph Richmond and Mrs. Harry Cushing.

Mr. and Mrs. Fisher will leave for Pennsylvania from the 16th street station in Oakland at 11:30 a. m., Wednesday, May 22. They plan to return to their home in Niles in the late fall or early winter.

### Mothers' Day Service At Local Churches

Special music by the girls' choir and a sermon to mothers by the pastor, Rev. A. W. Seebart, marked the observance of Mother's Day at the Niles Congregational church Sunday.

In the Sunday School a special program was given by Edward Plum, Fay Rose, Ada Belle Fong, Patsy Duffey, Lucy Shinn and Mr. Seebart.

Flowers were presented to all the mothers attending church.

### Y. L. I. MEETING

The regular meeting of the Y. L. I. is being held in Niles this evening.

Corona—City Park swimming pool improved by installation of new equipment.

### NEARBY and YONDER... by T. T. Maxey

### A World-Famous Church

BEFORE there was a United States of America—Sicor de Bienville selected the site which was destined to become the present city of New Orleans. The rectangle was walled in, laid out and the central position (now known as Jackson square) reserved for a parade ground with a church at the rear.

A frame church, said to have been the first in Louisiana, erected here was destroyed by a tornado. It was replaced by a brick structure, which was destroyed by fire. Then a wealthy Spanish nobleman built here the then—and still—great St. Louis cathedral, completed in 1794, which since has exercised a quieting and peaceful influence over the congested streets round about, and presented it to the parish.

This ancient and historic structure is surmounted by a tall, quaint tower which carries both clock and bells and is flanked on either side by a smaller tower. The interior houses some remarkable frescoes, done in 1792, and the archiepiscopal throne is adorned with the emblem of ecclesiastical origin—mitre, crozier and cross keys.

Probably the most notable event in the history of this venerable house of worship was the "Te Deum," held after the Battle of New Orleans, in 1815, on which occasion Gen. Andrew Jackson and his officers were present.

The body of the Spanish nobleman who made the church possible, together with those of a number of dignitaries of the church, are said to lie beneath the floor.

Representatives from practically every clime under the sun have trod the aisle of this noble edifice.

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# CENTERVILLE REGISTER

ORVILLE BLOSE  
Asst. Editor

## CENTERVILLE CALENDAR

(The Township Register is anxious to be of real service to its subscribers in Centerville. We shall be glad to publish all announcements, reports, etc. sent in to us or given to our representatives, Mrs. F. O. Bunting, or Orville Blose. Reporter Blose will be glad to call on you if you will let us know when you have news items for him.)

June 6—St. James Men's Club.

### NO MEETING OF SERVICE CLUB AT NOON TODAY

Due to the get-together dinner to be held this evening, no meeting of the Service Club was scheduled for today. Jos. Dias, of the Grammar school, has been appointed chairman of the day for next week.

### Centerville Gardens At Their Best Now

We should have a flower week. The gardens never looked more beautiful than they do now. Magnificent roses and iris, graceful wisterias, big pansies. In fact, is there any flower not represented?

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## Local Brevities

Mrs. L. Stead is visiting her sister, Mrs. Allen, for a week or so.

Mrs. F. O. Bunting was in Coal- inga Monday on business.

Mrs. J. Stevenson came home Tuesday. She has been in Petaluma for several months. Mrs. Oakes is there for a few weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Hyglund left this week for their vacation. They went south.

Saturday was our warmest day. It seemed nice to see the overcast sky on Sunday.

Mrs. C. F. Foster and her mother, Mrs. Alma Huntley, have taken a cottage on Russian River for a month's vacation beginning June 15. Mr. Foster will join them for week-ends.

F. T. Dusterberry and L. C. Marriot, of the Bank of Italy, attended a recent meeting of California bankers at Castlewood Country Club.

Miss Marjorie Martin visited Miss Elizabeth Costa, Sunday. Miss Costa is in training at the Providence Hospital.

Mrs. Frank Dusterberry has returned home from the Alameda Sanitarium, where she had her tonsils removed.

Miss Mary Lou James, of Stanford University, was the week-end guest of Miss Jewell Anderson. Sunday evening, Miss Anderson was the hostess at a dinner given in honor of Miss James. Lloyd Hyglund and James Collins attended the dinner.

One hundred and fifty mothers of this township attended the Mothers' Tea given by the Girls League in the High school auditorium Monday. The program and refreshments were exceptionally splendid.

### Card Party Given By Centerville Girls

On Friday evening the Misses Antoinette and Sybil Botelho entertained a group of friends at their home.

Cards, games, and dancing were enjoyed by everyone. At midnight a delicious supper was served.

Those present were Miss Angelina Silveria, of Hayward, Miss Marie White and Miss Marjorie Martin, of Centerville, Mr. and Mrs. Bert Dutre, of Mission San Jose, Victor Soares and Austin Pelton, of Milpitas, Harry Rose, of Irvington, and Edward Enos, of Niles.

### Botelho's Team Wins From Roger's Boys

At Monday evening's volley ball games at the Athletic Club, Botelho's team won three games from Fred Rogers. Each game was a decided victory, but still Botelho claims the better team lost.

With the installation of a hot water system and the enclosure of the shower room, the C. A. A. has a first class club room.

Mrs. Morgan Davies, of Oakland, spent the week-end with her parents here.

Mrs. Stewart Gemmel of Oakland was the week-end guest of Mrs. George Emerson.

Mr. and Burnee Chadbourne, of Salinas, spent the week-end at his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Chadbourne.

The Centerville Parent-Teachers' Association whist party was a success although they did not have a record attendance. The refreshments were especially good. Nearly fifty dollars was netted. This is sufficient to back the grammar school operetta, which will be presented on June 14, free.

The Dramatic Section of the Country Club recently presented their play, "Hearts" at the Fairmont Hospital. This comedy brought happiness into the hearts of many of the old folks of that institution.

Miss Mila Norris returned home this week for her summer vacation from the University of California.

Centerville is being dolled up a bit this week, as two of its prominent buildings are being painted. The Gregory Hotel is receiving a blue and yellow dress, and the Hansen Building and Excelsior Bakery are being painted white. This improves the appearance of Main street considerably.

A. A. Bettencourt and Judge Joseph Silva attended the State Knights of Columbus Convention at Yosemite all of this week. They are the delegates from the local K. of C. lodge. A report of the proceedings at the convention will be given at the next meeting by these two delegates.

Judge Allen Norris sat for Judge Joseph Silva at Niles Tuesday.

### Ford Company Does Record Business

Dohner and Galbraith, local Ford dealers did a record business during the last month. New Fords were delivered to A. A. Bettencourt, of Alviso, Brown Sedan; F. Ponti, delivery truck; Elmer Bailey, of Centerville, a roadster; V. R. Orsetti, of Newark, delivery truck; Serphine Daviner, of Alvarado, a sedan; Homer Swift, a sedan; Lewis Christianson, of Centerville, a sedan; John Martinez, of Niles, a sedan; and Tony Rose, a sport coupe.

### John Silva, Aged Citizen, Passes On

John Silva, 45, an old resident of this community, was buried at the Holy Sepulchre Cemetery at Hayward, Monday, by F. F. Botelho Undertakers. Services conducted by Father Souza at the 9:30, High Mass. The deceased is survived by a widow and several brothers. Constable Tom Silva was a brother.

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## MORE ON CHAMBER OF

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past several luncheons and dinners given here having met with unanimous approval.

Service Clubs and Chambers of Commerce from throughout the Township are invited to attend in a body, special tables being reserved for each community if reservations are made ahead. Special attention will be paid to having the business men served promptly in order that they may have their luncheon and leave if they must get back to work.

The menu will include Kingan's baked ham, Knox perfection salad with Tuttle's cottage cheese and Wright's mayonnaise, Bluebird Potato chips, Folger's coffee, hot biscuit, and dessert.

The biscuits will be served by the Pacific Gas & Electric company, which will have one of their staff present to demonstrate appliances.

Mrs. W. H. Ford is general chairman of the luncheon and is assisted by Mrs. August May, Mrs. Walter Robie and Miss Mildred Nauert, of Alvarado.

Private parties for those who wish to return social obligations in this way are also suggested. The Baby Hospital Garden Party has long been looked forward to as one of the outstanding social events of the year in Niles, and this year's celebration is expected to come up to the reputation the occasion has earned in the past.

There will be booths for cakes, candies, and other home food, a mystery table, fish pond and grab bag, pony rides for the kiddies, and other attractions, in addition to a splendid program which will include the High School Fashion Show and other numbers being arranged by a committee with Mrs. J. C. Shinn as chairman.

There will also be card tables available for those who wish to entertain their friends in this way, and if orders are placed refreshments will be served during the afternoon for these groups. Prizes can be bought at one of the several booths.

A sale of California Nursery products will also be included. It is hoped that every man, woman, and child in the township who

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(Letters similar to the one quoted below have been sent to all Chambers of Commerce in the township, the American Legion, and all clubs wishing to send representative delegations are urged to do so and to make proper reservations.)

Plans are being made for a delegation from the Niles Chamber of Commerce to the luncheon given by the Baby Hospital group at their garden party on Saturday, June 1, according to announcement at the Tuesday noon meeting.

The following letter was read by the secretary, J. E. Townsend:

"Dear Mr. Townsend:  
"Will you please announce the dinner to be given at the Baby Hospital Garden party at noon, the first Saturday in June, at Mrs. Shinn's and try to get twenty-five or thirty reservations from your organization? We want to reserve a table for each chamber of commerce in the township, this table to be marked with a placard showing from which community those present came. It would be nice if each group would get up a stunt, a song, or a yell, or something of the sort, to give publicity to that particular town.

"The dinner will be cooked and served by Mary Dowd Reardon who served the lunch at the Congregational bazaar last fall. The menu includes baked ham, salad, potatoes, hot biscuits, coffee and dessert and will be served promptly at noon, or whenever the business men arrive, between 12 and 1, in order that they may lose no time if they are in a hurry to get back to work. Niles should have a large delegation. Reservations should be made with Mrs. W. H. Ford, chairman of the luncheon committee.

"Proceeds of the garden party go toward furnishing a room in the Baby Hospital where a number of local children have been treated this past year. As you probably know, this hospital charges according to the financial status of the patients. It is designed especially for those who cannot afford high-priced medical care but still are not eligible or do not care to accept charity.

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Among the big business organizations of this town will be found internationally known concerns such as the Morton Salt Company, makers of "the salt that pours," the Arden Salt Company which furnishes the crude product to the refinery; the California Chemical Company which converts from the by-products of salt tetra ethyl lead, one of the main chemicals in the manufacture of ethyl gasoline; and the James Graham Manufacturing Company, home of the Wedgewood stove, employing 350 people with an annual payroll of \$500,000 and turning out 50,000 gas and coal stoves, ranges, heaters and furnaces each year. This firm has

been in operation for about 46 years and is the pioneer stove manufacturer of the coast.

The Morton Salt Company, refinery, employs 85 men with an annual payroll of \$130,000 and turns out 75,000 tons of salt each year. The parent company was established 75 years ago and the local plant has been in operation for the past three years. Extensive enlargements are in the process of construction, company wharves and additional shipping equipment being included.

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Vocal music, Girls' Glee Club. Special number by Gertrude Ellsworth, Elizabeth Shinn, Aileen Steinhoff and Constance Reina.

One-act play, "The Mouse Trap" with Lola Luna, Gertrude Ellsworth and Olivia Foster.

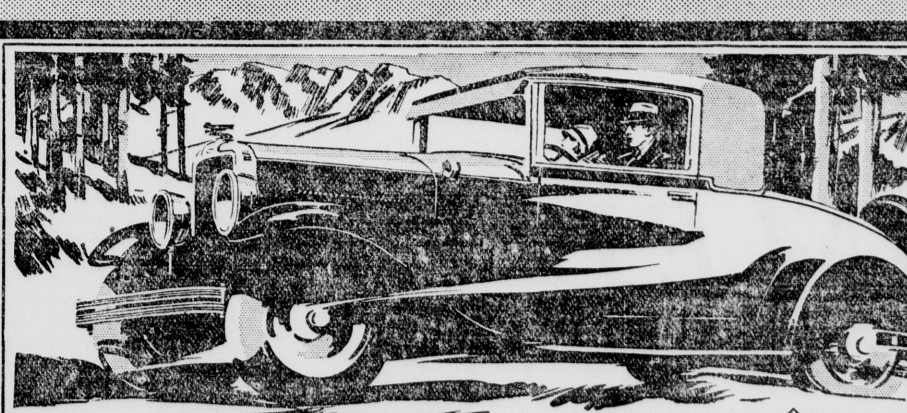
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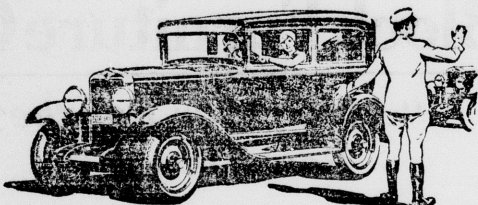
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Throughout the vast boundaries of the U. S. A., we have a population which has at command, opportunity for the highest civilization and education and points of legality are presided over by judges of learned wisdom.

We have among our laws, marriage laws, based upon the paramount obligations of life, fidelity and honor.

Fidelity and honor, which protect a home, possibly small children—weep flowers of humanity.

A home, which by divine law, 'til death do them part. These two—man and wife—children or no children. The immutable judgment also given—"let not man put asunder."

Ignoring the highest judgment of all—supreme power has supreme judgment—a number of divorce laws have been formed.

Many reasons brought forward to expound the judgment of man superior to that of the Master, with evidence of his puny strength and frailty, everywhere abound. His own inability to create the leaf of a tree, or one could as easily say a mountain, should prove to an atheist, that it is exceedingly obvious that a Supreme Power is above all. At times, at

least, he will admit this, being conscious of the wee, sma' voice, the same as another.

The marriage law, "let not man put asunder," would never have been formed, if that did not insure the greater happiness and welfare of the people.

That law, itself, which a marriage mate becomes willingly subject to, upon act of marriage, particularly with religious ceremony.

Coming from this law is no more than an act of usurpation. The common law of possession denies power of either law or person, to take from marriage mate, a home or marriage mate, without stipulated consent. Many parts of the world hold this to be their law, and their only law, in contested divorce cases.

It is possible for no person to give or force a divorce without stipulated mutual consent, while this law of possession is in existence except by act or law of usurpation, and power given to no person to rewrite the marriage law, "let not man put asunder" this law which was formed for reason of obedience being accorded to it—not mockery which divorce laws suggest.

## Children Urged To Consider Dangers of "Hitch-Hiking"

Dangers of "hitch-hiking" are being stressed this month by the California Automobile Association. Posters, anticipating the summer tourists season, have been placed in 12,500 class rooms throughout Northern and Central California, warning boys and girls of this danger and appealing to their pride to refrain from this practice.

Begging rides is no different than begging carfare. Boys frequently start on an outing planning to beg rides to their destination. They thus incur obligations that they cannot repay, acquire the habit of expecting something for nothing and are liable to the dangers of the road.

Furthermore, the boy who begs and accepts a ride from a stranger is placing an unfair responsibility on the motorist, for if he is injured during the course of the ride the owner of the vehicle may

be held responsible, even though the accident occurred through the child's own carelessness.

The person who begs a ride does not know with whom he is riding. He does not know of the driver's ability as the operator of a motor vehicle nor does he know whether or not the automobile in which he is a passenger has been stolen.

Children who stand in the roadway and try to flag a motorist to stop are so intent on this task that they fail to watch for cars that may be approaching from the opposite direction.

You who are too proud to beg and who have learned that it is the chance-taker who is the accident-maker have no excuse to say, "I didn't know it was dangerous."

## Personal Items

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Jelleff and little son, of San Francisco, spent the week-end in Niles.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Driscoll, of the Mission, were in Palo Alto, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Hunt have been entertaining Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Hunt and Mrs. Fred Pierce, of Santa Barbara, this week.

Dr. Carroll Davis and Miss Ellen Davis, of New York, have been in California, this week, Miss Davis visiting Miss Millicent Shinn for several days.

Miss Ruth Fisher, of San Francisco, spent the week-end with her aunt, Mrs. C. E. Martenstein.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Parks spent the week-end in San Francisco, enjoying the sculpture exhibit at Golden Gate Park.

Miss Lucy Shinn returned home this week-end, having completed the semester's work at the University of California.

Mrs. Roland Bendel is in Fabiola hospital but expects to return home soon.

Mrs. Frank Dusterberry has been in the hospital at Alameda recuperating from a tonsil operation and is progressing favorably.

## HOSPITAL DAY IS OBSERVED SUNDAY

### Citizens Urged to Enroll In Summer Training Encampments

"Hospital Day" was observed Sunday along with "Mothers' Day," special programs being arranged in the various hospitals for disabled veterans. At the United States Veterans' Hospital at Livermore, Katherine Simmons, director of the American Red Cross there, arranged a program including a concert by the Richmond municipal band brought to Livermore by the Richmond Lions' Club.

Enrollment in the Citizens' Military Training Camps to be held in California, as elsewhere in the nation, during June, July and August, is being urged by the American commission of the American Legion.

Every county has been assigned a quota for the camps and representatives of the legion will be commissioned in many localities by Secretary of War Good to give information regarding the camps.

Johnston points out that the camps "give training in good citizenship, develop self-reliance, alertness, responsibility, leadership and courage as well as physical development, teach love of country, give a month's training without cost, for which the applicant is furnished a free uniform and transportation to and from the camp, and no obligation to military service in any form is taken in these citizenship schools."

State Highway Commission recently awarded four contracts totaling \$350,000 for highway projects in northern California.

Callistoga—\$80,000 hotel will be built at Myrtle Springs, noted resort near this place.

## KITCHEN CUPBOARD

By NELLIE MAXWELL

'Tis beautiful to leave the world awhile  
For the soft visions of the night.  
And free, at last, from mortal care and guile,  
To live as only in the angel's sight.  
In sleep's sweet realm so cozily shut in,  
Where at the worst, we only dream of sin.  
—John G. Saxe.

### More About Lamb

THE breast of lamb is one of the most tasty cuts when properly cooked and served. It is especially well flavored as it contains a large amount of extractives.

Stuffed and rolled, then roasted, it is a choice main dish. Stewed and served with peas it is a most wholesome dish.

Cover with strips of bacon, season well and add one-half cupful of water and bake three-fourths of an hour. Served with potatoes baked with it and basted with the pan fat, one may have a whole meal in the baking dish.

Casserole of Lamb.—Take a two-pound cut from the breast of lamb, cut into small pieces, roll in flour and brown well in suet fat with one finely chopped onion. Put into a well greased casserole with one cupful of hot water, and one cupful of hot water; bake two hours. Add two cupfuls of diced potatoes and the same of diced carrots; cook one-half hour longer. Add more water from time to time and thicken the gravy if too thin. Serve hot with baking powder biscuits.

Scotch Broth.—Cook a well-cut-up lamb shank in one and one-half quarts of water. Season well with salt when the meat is almost done. Add two cupfuls of diced potatoes, one cupful of diced carrots, one-half cupful of carrots put through the meat chopper, two onions sliced. Cook until the vegetables are tender, strain and cool if the fat is to be removed, or it may be served with the vegetables.

Barbecued Lamb.—Cut cold roasted lamb into thin slices and reheat them in a sauce made as follows: Two tablespoonfuls of butter, one-half tablespoonful of vinegar, one-third cupful of currant jelly and one-fourth teaspoonful of mustard.

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### For Sale

FOR SALE—Five-room house on Second street. J. C. Walton. A187c

### Hill and Valley Offered Club Home

Local club women will be interested in the announcement that Mr. and Mrs. John Park, of Hayward, have offered their three-story house as a gift to the Hill and Valley club as a club home. Architects state that the building can easily be remodelled so as to provide an auditorium.

The offer came as surprise to most of the club members and they were not prepared to take any action on the matter at the meeting Monday, but much pleasure and appreciation was expressed.

### Lost and Found

LOST — Sleeping bag, between Niles and California Nursery. Return to Dickey Clay Co. Reward. M9-16p

### Miscellaneous

TAILOR — Bring your repairing and altering to PETER JOHNSON, the tailor, upstairs at 645 Castro street, Hayward, Calif. Prompt service, good work, reasonable prices guaranteed. Give me a trial and you will not regret it. May11p

### Twain Went Out With Comet as He Wished

While delivering a lecture on astronomy a year before his death, Samuel Clemens had said:

"I came with Halley's comet in 1835. It is coming again next year, and I expect to go out with it. It will be the greatest disappointment of my life if I don't go out with Halley's comet. The Almighty said, no doubt: 'Now, here are these two unaccountable freaks; they came in together, they must go out together.' Oh! I am looking forward to that."

We know now that Mark Twain was not to be disappointed. Wednesday night, April 20, 1910, Halley's comet, the mysterious messenger of his birth year, shone clearly in the sky in its perihelion. And during the following evening Mark Twain died.

Richmond — One-story building will be erected on MacDonald avenue for occupancy by women's store.



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# DECOTO REGISTER

ORVILLE BLOSE, Editor

## Decoto Girl Becomes Bride of Niles Man

Mrs. C. A. Walker was hostess to the Mothers' Club last week, entertaining in honor of her daughter, Miss Ola Walker, who today became the bride of C. R. Mallinson, signal man for the Western

Pacific. The couple are leaving immediately for a trip to Chicago and New York and after their honeymoon will reside in Niles. The groom has been employed as signal man here for the past four years and the bride has been employed at the Masonic Home. Many beautiful gifts were received

at the Mothers' Club party and refreshments served by the hostess.

## Christian Endeavor Entertains Mothers

On Sunday, the Christian Endeavor entertained the mothers at tea, about 20 being present. After a program refreshments were served.

Rev. H. J. McCall preached at the Decoto Community Church Sunday evening on "The Queen of Mothers."

Peter Decoto is back in town after a visit in Marysville.

## KIDNAPPER OF CENTERVILLE GIRL PAYS WITH TEN MONTHS IN JAIL

Ten months in jail for one joy-ride. Shieks, beware! Maybe the victim got less than he deserved—maybe he is only paying the price for a moment's whim to have a little fun, and serving as an example, a warning to the gay and giddy autoist who thinks it all right to "pick up" a pretty girl if she is foolish enough to be picked. Speaking of Frank Tortorelle, of Minneapolis, of course, who on February 28, carried a 14-year-old Centerville Grammar school girl off for a joy ride, keeping her until about one a. m. the next

morning when he was caught by Joe DeQuadros, of Centerville, who had joined the search for the missing girl.

After being arrested he was taken to the county jail to await trial. After several weeks' delay, he was heard before Judge Allen G. Norris at Centerville and held to answer to the superior court. Since that time he has been in the county jail and on May 9, came up for trial on a charge of kidnapping, being given six months in the county jail, making about ten months' time in all.

## FORTY-FIVE ATTEND LADIES' GUILD GARDEN PARTY

Forty-five members and prospective members of the Ladies' Guild of the Niles Congregational church enjoyed the garden party at the home of Mrs. J. C. Shinn, when she and Mrs. Alma Inman Parker were joint hostesses Wednesday afternoon.

Following the luncheon which was served from long tables on the lawn, a short informal program was given as follows:

A reading by Anna Millicent Shinn.

Some dialect readings about the old South by Mrs. Williamson. These were taken from a book of Poems written by Mary Fairfax Childs, of Virginia, an old friend of Mr. William Eberly's.

A pantomime with reading by Anna Millicent Shinn—the wood-cutter played by Johnny-Mack Williamson and the Princess, by Margaret Williamson.

A witty and interesting talk by Rev. A. W. Seebart on his trip to the Yellowstone with his bride and a second-hand Model-T. Pictures of some of the principal points of interest were passed around and added to the enjoyment of those listening to the talk.

Announcement was made of the garden party to be given on June 1 for Toyon branch of the Baby Hospital association and all urged to be present and enjoy the dinner which is to be served by Mary Dowd Reardon.

Mrs. A. A. Hatch, president of the Guild, expressed thanks to the hostesses for the luncheon and the pleasant afternoon.

## Voice of the City to Be at Niles Theater

"The Donovan Trial," an all-talking picture, will be seen at the local theater Sunday, Monday and Tuesday, May 26, 27, and 28, this to be one of the outstanding shows of the month for Niles fans.

This Saturday Ken Maynard will play in "The Lawless Legion" and "The Collegians" will also be shown.

Sunday and Monday Willard Mack's "The Voice of the City" will be the feature, an all-talking picture with Vitaphone acts additional.

Mr. Mack not only wrote this gripping play, but he directed it and plays the principle role besides, that of a detective engaged in a desperate man hunt. This is a story of gangdom, thrills and suspense, but a happy ending with plenty of romance and pretty girls. If you want an A-One show, don't miss seeing and hearing "The Voice of the City."

## Officers Re-Elected For Highschool Board

At the last meeting of the board of trustees for the Washington Union High school, the officers were re-elected with Fred Dusterberry, president, and F. V. Jones, secretary. Other members are M. J. Overacker, M. Bettencourt and the new member, J. C. Whipple.

Dinner was served by Mrs. Josephine Morrison and her cooking class.

## MRS. BRAUN WILL BE HOSTESS TO FRIENDLY CLUB

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## LOCAL NEWS ITEMS

Mrs. Fred Nelson has returned home after a visit in Marysville.

Mrs. Wm. Eberly was in Palo Alto Tuesday.

Paul Gygax, of Newark, is able to be around again, after being confined to his home with a crushed foot for a week or more.

Mrs. J. A. Zwissig will take her little daughter south for a two months' visit at Laguna Beach with Mrs. Zwissig's mother, leaving early in June.

The Garden of Allah on Saturday night will entertain a Fraternity and Sorority dancing party from Alameda. Admission will be by invitation only. The management expects a very large party.

Manuel Duarte has been ill for several days this week, not being able to attend to the store.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Blacow and Mr. and Mrs. M. Wilder spent Sunday in San Francisco with relatives.

Last week Mr. B. H. Morrison of Boulder, Colorado, arrived for a visit with his boyhood friend Leo Vincent, manager of the Pacific Mushroom Company, at the Garden of Allah. Mr. Morrison is already enthusiastic over this climate and has accepted temporary employment while examining further into university conditions for his young family.

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dle class man who pays the taxes to keep up charitable hospitals has to do without. This hospital is one of the few institutions which is particularly aiding the middle class.

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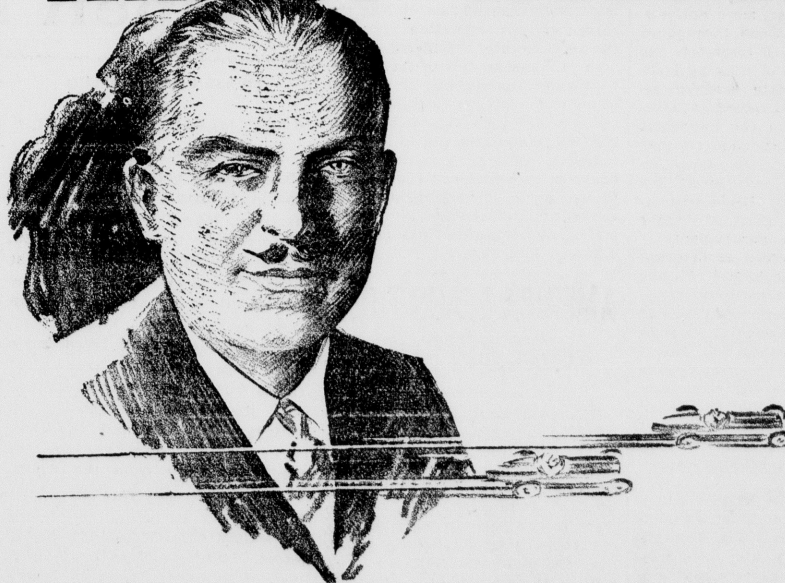
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## BANKERS IN NATIONAL MOVE FOR UNIFORM FINANCIAL PRACTICES

By S. J. HIGH

President State Bank Division, American Bankers Association

**R**APID interchange of business and the quick transportation of goods in the United States, coupled with almost instantaneous means of inter-communication by telegraph, telephone and wireless, have welded the country into an economic unit. The nation is not, in a business sense, conducting its affairs in water-tight compartments, as in a measure it did in the days of slow travel and remote places, but styles, methods, commodities and business practices flow freely today in all directions. Therefore it is desirable that finance, trade and industry throughout the country operate along generally uniform or at least consistent lines, so that a contract or an agreement or obligation in connection with business transactions shall mean virtually the same thing in all parts of the country. Particularly necessary in this connection is the establishment of uniform financial and banking practices so as to facilitate the



S. J. HIGH

flow of trade along accepted and understood lines. Banking in the United States is recognized as a semi-public type of business and is therefore subject to laws to define the scope and character of its activities. These laws at present set up a great diversity of conditions under which banking is conducted in various parts of the country since they come from both state and federal authorities. The national banks are all chartered by the federal government and therefore operate on the same lines in every state of the Union, but there is no such regularity in respect to the conditions under which the state banks chartered by the respective forty-eight states must conduct their business. All state banking codes, while they have similarities, also have many great dissimilarities in respect both to the national bank laws and the banking laws covering state bank operations in other jurisdictions.

### Bankers Move for Uniform Laws

The State Bank Division of the American Bankers Association, which latter includes in its membership banks of all descriptions throughout the country subject to all the variations of state and federal banking laws, is committed to the effort to bring about greater consistency and uniformity among the statutes of all these various jurisdictions. This body is conducting a vigorous nation-wide campaign urging that active steps be taken to secure greater co-ordination in banking legislation, more equitable conditions and more uniformly efficient public supervision of banks in the several states.

The organization is particularly concerned with fostering this movement to bring about more uniformity in banking conditions throughout the United States in respect to the public supervision of banking institutions by the state banking departments. It is on record as favoring the policy that the important office of state bank commissioner should be kept as free from entangling partisan politics as the judiciary itself and should be completely detached from all other functions of state government.

It is also on record as favoring the policy that the tenure of office of state bank commissioners should be made more secure and lasting than is now the case in many state jurisdictions and that this important public officer be granted sufficient compensation and discretionary power so that the office shall attract and retain the services of men of outstanding executive ability and successful banking experience.

It is also a part of this policy that the bank commissioner's ability to serve well should be strengthened by providing him with adequate forces of bank examiners, selected on the basis of merit from men having the requisite qualifications of honesty, ability, training and banking knowledge to carry out the duties of their offices on the highest plane of usefulness to the public as well as to banking.

### The Trend of State Laws

The Association's State Bank Division has recently concluded a nation-wide survey of state banking legislation and conditions and in general has discovered a definite trend along the following lines:

There is a distinct tendency among the states to raise the minimum capital required for banking institutions to \$25,000 and also to give the bank commissioners or the banking boards sole power as to the granting of charters for new banks, thus enabling them to use discretion as to the need or desirability of added banking facilities or the fitness of the organizers to enter the banking field. In this connection many states are creating banking boards to act in an advisory capacity with the state bank commissioners.

There has also been observed a tendency to increase the compensation of the bank commissioners and to lengthen their terms of office and to give them power to appoint necessary deputies and examiners so

## Representative Students To Lead High School Societies

### LOCAL ORCHESTRAS ATTEND CONCERT

### Township People Hear School Bands Play in San Francisco

Mr. Kimber is expecting several hundred students to attend the concert in San Jose next week when a series of concert programs by San Jose schools will be given.

About twenty students and several faculty members attended the student band concert in San Francisco last Saturday, including Mr. and Mrs. John C. Kimber, Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Foster and Mrs. Alma Huntley, Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Hodges and family, Mr. McClellan, and others.

First prize in Class A went to Modesto and first prize in Class B for the third consecutive year was taken by Princeton. San Jose took first in marching and fifth in Class A. No entry was made by local musicians.

All township orchestra players will gather at the high school at Centerville at 8 o'clock, to leave promptly at 8:10. Traffic officers will escort the party to San Jose where they will be met by another squad which will conduct them down 13th street and Santa Clara avenue to the Roosevelt Junior Highschool.

All local students are expected either to bring their own lunches or to have money to buy them in San Jose.

This "musical tour" is arranged through the kindness of Walter Bachrodt, superintendent of the San Jose City schools.

Each car going to San Jose is supposed to have a white cloth tied on the rear in order that those following may keep up with the procession.

**Elementary School Try-Out**  
Elementary schools of Washington Township will have an orchestra contest at the high school at Centerville at 8 o'clock, May 31.

Societies at the Washington Union high school are something new. The following have been organized with their respective advisors and officers:

**Etiquette Club**  
Miss Newbert, sponsor. Has 35 members.

**Mary Beveridge, president.**  
Rosalie Joyce, secretary.

**Science Club**  
Mr. Webb and Mr. Gould gave a very interesting program at the first meeting attended by twelve students. Officers will be elected later.

**Commercial Club**  
Mr. Solvason, sponsor. Twenty-six members.

**LaVerne Silva, president.**  
Irene Laskey, vice-president.  
Pauline Amaral, secretary-treasurer.

**Mathematics Club**  
Miss Sandholt is advisor. Organization open to all Freshmen.

**Art Club**  
Miss Sayles, advisor. Seven members have signed up. Carving of statues out of soap, making lamp shades, etc., planned for this group.

**Aeronautics Club**  
Thirty-five boys interested. Mr. Mette, sponsor.

**Milton Munger, president.**  
Elmer Steinhilber, secretary.  
Eddie Wargin, treasurer.

**Toshi Sato, business manager.**  
**Dramatic Club**  
Miss Taylor, advisor. Twenty members. Officers to be elected later.

**Debating Club**  
Juniors urged to participate. Mr. Gatchel, advisor.

Hope to join the Bay District Debating Club which includes San Mateo, Palo Alto and other peninsula high schools.

**Journalism Club**  
All Sophomores urged to meet with this group. Mr. Kibby, in charge. Actual news-writing and practical knowledge of printing a paper will be taken up by the members.

Mr. Keyes of the San Francisco office of the W. B. Foshay Company, and Mr. Fox, of Minneapolis, called at the Niles office of the firm this past week.

## DID YOU EVER STOP TO THINK?

by  
EDSON R. WAITE, Shawnee, Oklahoma

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## Open Forum

What Price Publicity

or  
"THE MASQUERADE BAWL"  
of Peter Stratford

The recent parade of Deresley Morton, in man's domain as Peter Stratford, leaves a sting not easily forgotten by many involved. The unfortunate beliefs that caused her to choose the path she did, ended in no other way than could be expected.

Peter Stratford, as Niles knew "him" was efficiency personified in his business dealings; he was kind in disposition, gentle and genteel in manner, and yet these very qualities were reasons for needless charity from the wholesale display of assistance required.

Needless charity because of her secret. She continually refused medical assistance from the county institution. Hundreds of dollars of debt in community bills, more than a year of dependence upon the Belvoir Hotel which must further incur expense by sacrificing to fire the furnishings of the apartment where Peter Stratford lay ill for so many months with tuberculosis.

Innocent parties far and near were caught in the net of Peter Stratford's deception. To Alma Thompson, of Hollywood, who of all gave most freely in answer to requests made to her by mail from one whom she had never even seen, came nation-wide publicity of a distressing character.

Publicity gained when officials and newspaper men forced their way into the apartment at the Belvoir Hotel, desecrating letters of a most personal nature and scattering all over the world secrets which the unfortunate Deresley Morton had wished, with a dying request, be returned to proper owners, their contents undivulged.

Publicity for Niles—but price of publicity?  
Alma's fire insurance will be reduced in near future.

Arbuckle—New fire truck ordered for this district.

### LOCAL HAPPENINGS

Mr. and Mrs. Frank McGowan, who have been making their home with Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Braun, have taken a cottage on Second street. Mrs. McGowan had to give up housekeeping about a

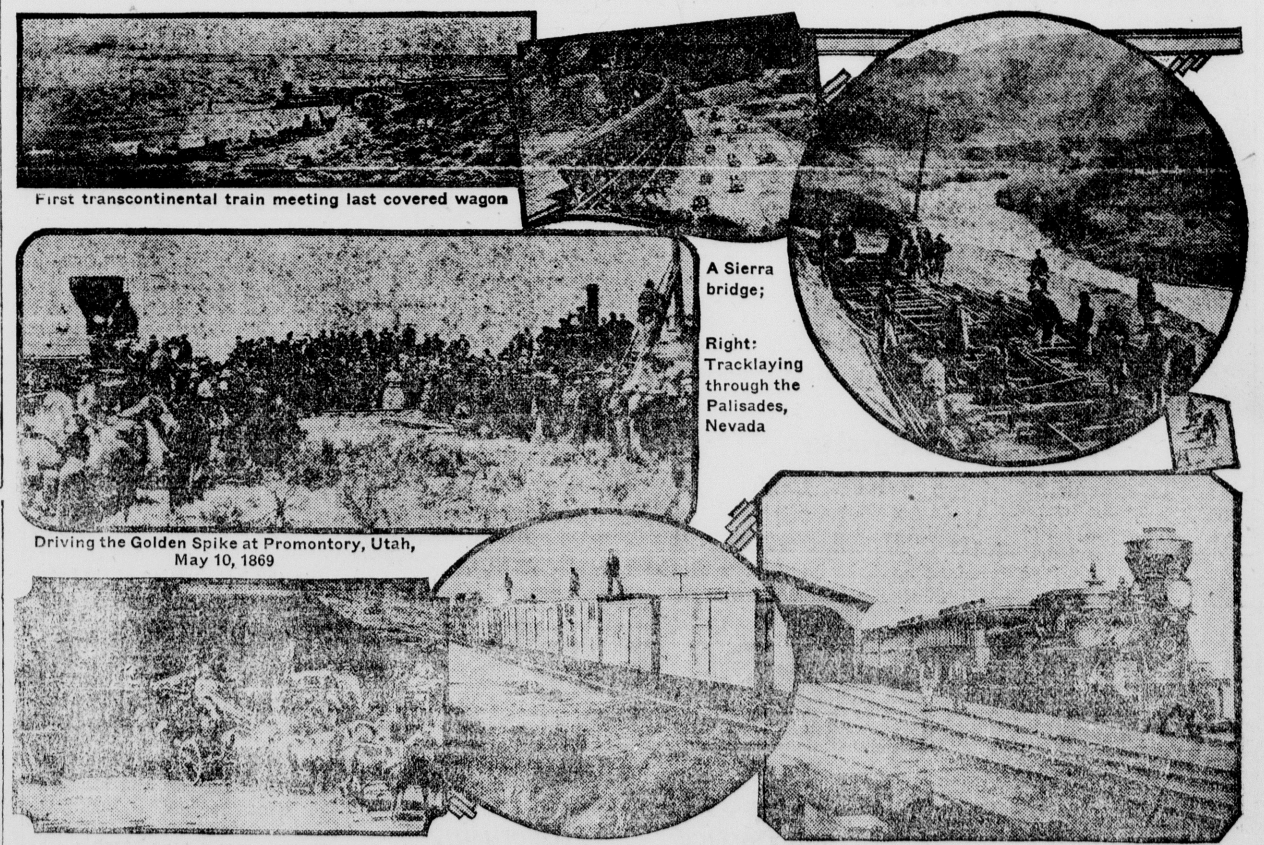
year ago because of ill health but she has improved to a marked degree and is now able to resume her household duties.

Erle Wood, of Hayward, new manager of the Niles' Mutual Store, took charge today, Mr Wag-

ner leaving for the new post at the Hayward Mutual Store.

While there was 5.5 per cent more electricity generated from the use of fuel in 1928 than in 1927, amount of fuel consumed was 1.1 per cent less.

## Building the First Transcontinental Railroad



First transcontinental train meeting last covered wagon

A Sierra bridge;

Right: Tracklaying through the Palisades, Nevada

Driving the Golden Spike at Promontory, Utah, May 10, 1869

Stage Coach bridged gap between ends of track

Rounding "Cape Horn" on way to Summit

Leaving Oakland Pier, 1869

The sixtieth birthday of the Southern Pacific, first transcontinental railroad, is being celebrated May 10 by a radio broadcast from K P O San Francisco, over the Pacific Coast network of the National Broadcasting Company and from KSL Salt Lake, Utah. The broad-

cast will be from 9:30 to 10:30 p. m., Pacific standard time.

Reinold Werrenrath, famous baritone, is coming from New York specially to take part in this entertainment. To a musical accompaniment of Construction day music

there will be told over the air the epic story of the conquest of Sierra and desert, which was probably the greatest of pioneer accomplishments.

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## HIGH SCHOOL NOTES

### HI SCHOOL HONOR ROLL

The following students have been placed on the honor roll at the high school: Seniors—Mary Azeveda, Mervyn Blacow, Mary Beveridge, Orville Blose, James Bunker, Doris Destrella, Irene Laskey, Ada McBride, Eva Teeter, Dorothy VanDevoort, Dorothea Willis; Juniors—Lois Abrott, Madelyn Avila, Otello Bellini, Gertrude Ellsworth, Alice Lemas, Mary Lucas, Ruth Mau and Marie White; Sophomores—Angelina Al-  
legre, Henrietta Flores, Mitsuye Kawaguchi, Lola Luna, Milton Munger, Sumi Nakashima, Arlene Oliveira, Irene Oliveira and Agatha Willis; Freshmen—Grace Bettencourt, Nora Broberg, Theo Elliot, Tom Katashima, Keika Koga, Ben Laskey, Leanoa Neves.

### A. C. A. L. Meet

Local boys come out in fifth place, taking six points. Berkeley won with 54 points; Alameda second with 46; Piedmont third with 41; Hayward fourth with 15; and Washington fifth with six points.

Washington was represented by A. Leonardo, D. Hotchkiss, Captain S. Ramos, B. Dick, E. Dusterberry, B. Wright, E. Bernard, L. Murphy and J. Logan.

### Stanford Meet

Five Washington track men present, taking sixth place in the mile run, half mile run and javelin throw; but no points. Over 240 athletes from 32 schools taking part; local boys being Sabino Ramos, Albert Leonardo, Eugene Dusterberry, Joseph Avila and Billy Dick.

### Watsonville Game

Hayward and Washington combined to beat Watsonville with a score of 66 to 56. Washington boys, Ramos, Hotchkiss, Leonardo and Dusterberry.

### GIRLS' SPEEDBALL

Those taking part in the speedball season are: Pauline Amaral, Emeline Amaral, Irene Cieslak, Edith Rogers, Irene Laskey, Marcela Bimemiller, Lola Luna, Tsurie Sakaki, Isabel Comaera, Judith Cronley, Edith Gulart, Verna Santos, Annie Bettencourt, Lucille Sinclair, Constance Reina, Masako Sekigahama, Agnes Alameda, Marie White, Elinor Silvira, Mary Janeiro, Roumilda Rose, Elizabeth Shinn and Mary Caldeira.

### St. Joseph Game

Local boys win from St. Joseph High, 16 to 4.

## PUBLIC INVITED TO FASHION SHOW ON MAY 24

The public is invited to the third annual fashion show to be given at Washington Union high school on Friday, May 24. There will be forty models wearing sports clothes, afternoon dresses, and ensembles, all made by members of the sewing classes.

Special music will be furnished by the orchestra. The admission is free. This show will be repeated at the garden party to be given by the Toyon Branch of the Baby Hospital association.

### ALVARADO BY BERNICE BOYD

(Too late for last week)

The home of Mr. and Mrs. Vargas of Alvarado was completely destroyed by fire on Saturday afternoon. The cause of the fire is unknown. Work will soon be started on a new home.

Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Mayer and son Louis spent Sunday in Oakland and San Francisco.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Santos have started the construction of their new home on Vallejo street.

Many people from Alvarado attended the baseball game at Neptune last Sunday, in which the Leslie base ball team took part, and were defeated by a score of 1 to 0. The game was a very exciting one which lasted for 11 innings—the score being tied 0 to 0 until the last inning.

Wm. Avilla of Alvarado is seriously ill.

Miss Helen Baird spent the week-end in San Francisco, traveling to Calistoga on Saturday.

The Rebekah Lodge met last Friday evening. After the meeting the time was spent in playing Dutch whist.

Miss Thelma Harlan of Irvington was the guest of Miss Minnie Rivers on Monday evening.

The ladies of the Farm Bureau gave a whist party at the St. Anne's hall last Friday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Trevett of San Francisco were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Boyd on Sunday.

Mr. F. Paderas was a business visitor in Oakland on Monday.

Mrs. M. P. Munger and Mrs. W. J. LaPlante and children motored to La Honda on a picnic last Saturday.

### U. C. CLASS OF '79 CELEBRATES 50TH ANNIVERSARY

Miss Millicent Shinn on Wednesday, attended a dinner given by Dr. John C. Pardee at his home in Oakland, in honor of the graduates of the University of California of the class of 1879. Dr. Carroll Davis, of New York, made the trip west for this celebration with his classmates, his sister, Miss Ellen Davis, having visited with Miss Shinn for a few days this week.

Miss Shinn was the first woman to receive a Ph. D. from the University of California.

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30x5.00 (5.00-20) .....	7.65	8.95	10.25
31x5.00 (5.00-21) .....	7.85	9.35	10.65
30x5.25 (5.25-20) .....	8.80	10.25	11.80
31x5.25 (5.25-21) .....	8.95	10.55	11.95
30x5.77 (5.77-20) .....	10.45	.....	12.65
32x6.00 (6.00-20) .....	11.80	13.75	15.60
33x6.00 (6.00-21) .....	11.95	13.95	15.95
32x6.20 (6.20-20) .....	.....	.....	17.80
33x6.75 (6.75-21) .....	.....	.....	21.25

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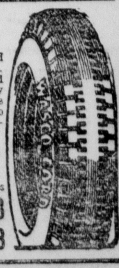
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NEW POTATOES, Red Garnets, 3 lbs.,.....	20c
PEAS, Fancy, 3 lbs.,.....	18c
CABBAGE, Large,.....	10c

## Editorial Comment

By NORMAN H. PARKS, PUBLISHER REGISTER

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the progressive spirit in our citizens and encourage industry and ability by words of merited praise.

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Niles is a good town, and getting better every day—and better known. The Township Register has great faith in the future of this city. It has ambitious plans for its growth and an abounding faith that they will be fulfilled. And while we are looking ahead, let us pause to note the good things that are being done every day to make this a better town to live in, to work in—not only to note these things—that is to see them, but to speak of them—yes, to shout them from the housetops that the world may know that Niles is just about all right, but never quite satisfied with itself. All striving to make it better, bigger, busier and BETTER TO LOOK AT.

## MORE ON REGISTER STAFF TO

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ality of his staff members, the correspondents in the surrounding communities playing an important part in furnishing The Register reading matter and in making it one of the most interesting and popular publications in the state. These gatherings also promote a feeling of good-will among those making up The Register family and induce a spirit of cooperativeness among those who are engaged in gathering all the news for all the people every day in the week.

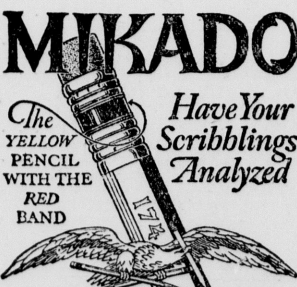
Last year The Register staff had dinner at an Oakland restaurant and witnessed one of Marjorie Rambeau's performances at the Fulton. The affair was enthusiastically appreciated by Mr. Park's guests.

A good bill will be available at the Pantages, specific numbers to be announced in the city papers later. The dinner at the New Shanghai will offer both American and Chinese food, a "test trip" by Mr. and Mrs. Parks being made this past week end and proving that the quality of the menu and the colorfulness of the cafe's equipment is all that could be wished. An orchestra will furnish music for dancing and cabaret entertainment will occur between courses.

D. W. Low is proprietor of the New Shanghai, at 453 Grant avenue, and also the Shanghai Low at 532 Grant avenue, a special chop-suey house. At the New Shanghai all kinds of American and Chinese dishes are served and music for dancing with special entertainment is offered each evening.

The Pantages has long ago earned its reputation as one of the best play houses in San Francisco and will offer one of its usual high-grade performances of vaudeville, pictures, music, etc., for the Niles delegation.

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## PICNIC PLANNED FOR CAMPFIRE AND SCOUTS

All friends of the Boy Scouts and Campfire Girls are invited to attend the get-together for these local youngsters to be held in Rose's canyon on Friday, May 24, at 6:30 o'clock. Eats will be served and a program of stunts given.

This affair is arranged by the Boy Scout committee and the leaders of the troop and the Campfire Girl guardian and is for the purpose of giving the young folks a good time and at the same time offering an opportunity to the public to get a close-up of scouts and campfire girls in action.

Those who wish to attend should notify the J. E. Townsends or A. F. Johnson.

Southern Alameda County Field Executive Hopkins is expecting to be present and speak regarding this work.

At the last meeting of the Niles troop, ten scouts were initiated, bringing the membership to twenty-two.

The regular monthly court of honor will be held at the picnic. Last Saturday the boys enjoyed a swim at Alum Rock Park as a reward for winning the baseball game with Newark.

## LOCAL NEWS

Mrs. Plum and Mrs. Perry are hostesses at a meeting of the Rebekhas Friday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. O. E. Walpert and daughter motored to Yosemite over the week-end, Miss Jacqueline remaining in the valley for a month's vacation.

Mrs. Ralph Clapp, of Alhambra, is the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Hatch, of Niles Glen, this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Martin were in Santa Cruz Friday, where they met Mrs. Martin's nieces, Mrs. D. Lord and Mrs. R. Jones, of Huntington Park, who represented their home club, both senior and junior departments. They came back to Niles with the Martins, returning to Los Angeles Saturday evening, making a short but very pleasant visit and renewing acquaintances of those they knew here on their vacation last year.

Mrs. Walter Robie, president of the Washington Township Country Club; Mrs. Etta Chadbourne and Mrs. Howard Chadbourne attended the convention in Santa Cruz last week.

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